

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY ACCRA  
TO AMEMBASSY PARIS  
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PARIS FOR ARS; USIA FOR IAA; DEPT. FOR CU/AF

E.O. 11652: N/A  
SUBJECT: STARS OF FAITH

1. STARS OF FAITH PRESENTED THREE HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL CONCERTS IN GHANA WITH TOTAL AUDIENCE OF APPROXIMATELY TWO THOUSAND.
2. GROUP PERFORMED AT CULTURAL CENTER IN KUMASI, CAPE COAST UNIVERSITY AUDITORIUM AND METHODIST CHURCH IN ACCRA. ALL HAD NEARLY FULL HOUSE AUDIENCES ENTHUSIASTIC IN THEIR PRAISE OF STARS' PERFORMANCE. FIVE CABINET MEMBERS ATTENDED IN ACCRA.
3. ACCRA CONCERT WAS COSPONSORED BY GHANA ASSOCIATION OF ALUMNI OF AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES. SILVER COLLECTION TAKEN AT INTERMISSION ON BEHALF OF ASSOCIATION'S STUDENT TRAVEL LOAN FUND NETTED 1,000 CEDIS, APPROXIMATELY HALF OF WHICH WAS USED TO PAY FOR SOUND SYSTEM, PIANO, AND CONTRIBUTION FOR USE OF CHURCH.
4. U.S. FULBRIGHT PROFESSOR AND WIFE IN CAPE COAST GAVE RECEPTION FOR GROUP AFTER CONCERT AND PRESIDENT OF GAAU HOSTED DINNER FOR THEM AFTER ACCRA PROGRAM.

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5. ONLY COMPLAINT BY GROUP WAS ABOUT FATIGUING GROUND TRAVEL BETWEEN ACCRA, KUMASI AND CAPE COAST. ONE BAG LOST BETWEEN DOUALA AND ACCRA WAS RECOVERED BEFORE GROUP DEPARTED FOR ABIDJAN.
6. PERFORMANCE FEE CHECK OF DOLS. 3,000 WAS GIVEN TO FRANCES STEADMAN. DOLLAR REIMBURSEMENT OF UNSPENT PER DIEM BEING PROCESSED.

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